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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Yoshihiro MASUDA

Group Art Unit: 2179

Application No.: 10/646,828

Examiner: T. TRAN

Filed: August 25, 2003

Docket No.: 116937

For: WORK SPACE CONTROL APPARATUS

RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

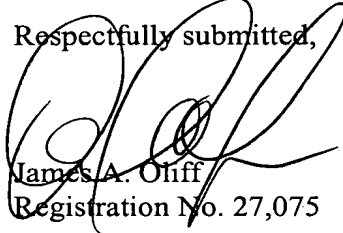
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the April 28, 2009 Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment, Applicant respectfully resubmits the March 9, 2009 Amendment with a complete listing of all of the claims. No new matter is added. Reconsideration of the Amendment and prompt allowance of the application is respectfully requested.

Should the Examiner believe that anything further would be desirable in order to place this application in even better condition for allowance, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the telephone number set forth below.

Respectfully submitted,


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AMENDMENT

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In reply to the December 8, 2008 Office Action, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims; and

Remarks.